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The errors occur in (1) "The Related U.S. Application Data" which lists an incorrect Serial No. The correct Serial No. is 16,577.

- (2) The Cross-Reference to Related Applications (Col. 1, lines 6-14) contains the same error.

Remarks

The Declaration filed in the application which resulted in this patent correctly claimed the benefit under 35 USC §120 of Serial No. 08/016,577. The Cross-Reference to Related Applications appearing at Col. 1, lines 6-14, through applicant's error lists the Serial No. as 08/016,579. The "Related U.S. Application Data" copied the same error. The undersigned knows that Assignee did not ever have an application bearing Serial No. 08/016,579.

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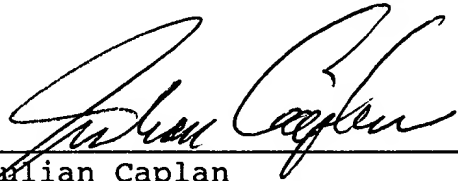
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